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Growth Opportunities for

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Your Small Business Resource Every day, the U.S. Small Business Administration and its nationwide network of partners help millions of potential and current small business owners start, grow and succeed.

Resources and programs targeting small businesses provide an advantage necessary to help small businesses effectively compete in the market-place and strengthen the overall U.S. economy.

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- Starting a Business
- Financing a Business
- Growing a Business
- Opportunities in Contracting
- Recovering From Disaster
- A Voice for Small Business in Government

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WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 8, 2008

6:30-9:00 p.m.
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As an ongoing effort to improve services to all existing businesses, IDA Leadership Council, Workforce Investment Board, WNY Chamber Alliance, Business First, SBA, and SCORE Buffalo Niagara want to learn even more about the companies doing business in this community. That is why, we have teamed together and developed a program that will assist, educate and train small businesses about "Growth Opportunities" available.

Seminar 1:

Financing & Tax Credits 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

- Mentoring/Business Development
- IDA Tax Incentives
- Access to Capital/Financing

Question & Answer 7:30 - 7:45 p.m.

Seminar 2:

Acquiring Workforce Services 7:45 - 8:45 p.m.

- Learn about Employment and Training Opportunities
- Gain a Competitive Edge in a Global Market Place
- Identify Workforce Resources

Presenters

- SCORE
- Local IDA's (Amherst, Clarence, Lancaster, Concord, Hamburg)
- U.S. Small Business Administration
- · Erie County IDA
- Erie Community College Workforce Development
- Buffalo & Erie County Workforce Investment Board
- Western New York Chamber Alliance

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